



Capitol Broadcasting Company, Inc., 2619 Western Blvd., P.O. Box 12000, Raleigh, NC 27605

DIANNE SMITH
Special Projects Counsel
(919) 821-8933
Fax (919) 890-6095
email: dsmith@cbc-raleigh.com

April 8, 2005

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

RE: *EX PARTE NOTICE* – In the Matter of Public Interest Obligations of TV Broadcast Licensees MM Docket No. 99-360; In the Matter of Standardized and Enhanced Disclosure Requirements for Television Broadcast Licensee Public Interest Obligations MM Docket No. 00-168

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Capitol Broadcasting Company, Inc. (CBC), I met with Jordan Goldstein of Commissioner Michael Copps' office to discuss CBC's belief that defining a broadcaster's public interest obligations is a necessary step in the Commission's work to complete the digital transition. Our discussion focused on CBC's position that the Commission should set public interest minimums that focus on local programming.

If there are questions relating to this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Best regards,

/s/ Dianne Smith

Dianne Smith
Special Projects Counsel

cc. Jordan Goldstein (via e-mail)